



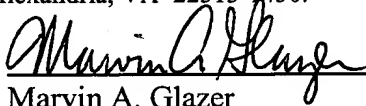
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is being submitted to place the present application in better form for continued examination. This Preliminary Amendment accompanies Applicant's Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, along with Applicant's Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time to respond to the final Office Action mailed December 21, 2004.

Please further amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.